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Dear Sir:—I notice that my father, James Britt, Sr., is using your non-friction Ring for plow lines. His lines are good not fretted at all, while mine are frazzeled nearly in two. You will please send me two pair of your patent Rein Rings.
Very truly,
JAMES BRITT, JR.,
Business Agent, of Bluff Alliance.

CLINTON, N. C., May 21st, '88.
J. C. HOBBS, Hobton, N. C.
Dear Sir—I have thoroughly tested your patented attachment for holding Plow lines. I am well pleased with it. It adds ease to man and horse, and to last of lines. It affords me pleasure to recommend them favorably. Yours respectfully,
R. PAGE.

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" " month, 12 00
The patronage of the traveling public is respectfully solicited.
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JEWELRY AND CLOCKS!

I have just received a large lot of Elegant Jewelry. This I will guarantee to the purchaser to be just as represented. I sell no cheap, "fire guilt" goods but carry a STANDARD LINE OF GOLD FRONT GOODS. The attention of the ladies is called to the latest styles of BREAST PINS—they are "things of beauty!"
The old reliable and standard SETH THOMAS CLOCKS always in stock, in various styles and sizes.
☞Repairing of Watches and Clocks and mending Jewelry is a specialty. All work I do is guaranteed to give entire satisfaction.
Respectfully,
sep5—tf G. T. RAWLS.

THE EDITOR'S CHAIR.

HOW THINGS LOOK FROM OUR STAND POINT.

The Opinion of The Caucasian and the Opinion of others which we Can Endorse on the Various Topics of the Day.

The recent negro national convention, in its manifesto issued to the public, complains that that the race does not get fair treatment in the courts, in politics nor in the educational line. They claim that the labor system is unjust, that they are subject to taxation without representation. They petition Congress to pass the Blair Bill, to put negroes (we suppose an equal number with whites) on the juries, to prohibit separate railroad cars for whites and blacks and to defeat the Butler negro wholesale Emancipation Bill, &c. There were some Southern negroes present who disapproved the statements in the manifesto and tried to get the floor to point out untrue statements in it, but the prejudiced and blind leaders would not hear them.

Their claim of being subjected to taxation without representation is simply rediculous, and as to their not getting their share of the school fund, shows their utter disregard for the truth. In this county (and we suppose it will fairly represent the condition in the whole South) the school tax is about $6,000. Negro property pays about $70 of this amount, yet the negro schools are larger than the whites. The fact is, the negro, if that convention represents him, does not know what he wants. We guess that he *needs* a master.

A daily half hour spent in reading on any one subject will in a year acquire a most satisfactory amount of information, and will lay the foundation for thorough mental culture, if you will give all your thought and attention undivided, even to this short time. You may sometimes vary this exercise by spending a half hour in trying to write down clearly, and in as few words as possible, what you have read during the week. These two things, reading with care and the concentration of your mind, and writing with conciseness and clearness, will be worth more than weeks of desultory and inattentive reading, and pages of diffuse and vague writing.

Use your half hours and the days, yes, the years, will soon show the profit from them.—M. S., in Home Farmer.

The Sanford Express says:

"Without Col. Polk the Alliance could not be what it is. He is the ablest organizer and one of the most magnetic orators in the State and he may deserve a seat in the United States Senate."

This is news to us. The Alliance could not be what it is without Col. Polk, indeed?

Brother, say that Col. Polk could not be who he is without the Alliance. There is no man in the whole organization so greatly indebted to it.

The Alliance could be what it is with any dozen men connected with the organization were in their graves. The organization was not called into being at the will of any man or set of men. It is an organization of principle and not of men.

Foolish men are more apt to consider what they have lost than what they possess; and to fix their eyes upon those who are richer than themselves, rather than on those who are under greater difficulties.—Joseph Addison.

Concentration is the secret of strength in politics, in war, in trade—in short, in all management of human affairs—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

A FORUM OF PUBLIC OPINION.

The Opinion of THE CAUCASIAN'S Readers on the Various Topics of the Day.

We offer this column to our readers in which to discuss topics of interest and profit to them. To put the ball in motion we will make a statement and ask a question:

STATEMENT—Statistics show that the total wealth of this county is greatly increasing each year. The same statistics show that the farmers and laborers have been growing poorer each year for a quarter of a century, yet agricultural prosperity is the basis of all prosperity.

QUESTION—Then how is this wealth produced?

We have our opinion. We would like to have yours.

OUR YOUNG FOLKS.

Something Interesting to Young Readers of The Caucasian.

Well, dear children, I guess you have felt slighted of late, but we have not forgotten you. Rev. J. W. Turner has kindly prepared an interesting problem for THE CAUCASIAN, which we give you this week to exercise your active brains over. We will publish the names of those who send correct answers. —EDITOR.

BY REV. J. W. TURNER,
PRINCIPAL CLINTON SCHOOL FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

The following example will serve to show in a degree how much our various tables of weights and measures are based upon the numbers 6 and 10 and their multiplies and factors. It is said that the old Babylonians used to count by sixes just as we now count by tens. Their's is called the sextal system; ours the decimal. Let us in this connection remember that two sixes make a dozen and that two tens make a score. Also that 10x12—120. Now let us compare the following measures and weights—Linear, Circular and Time among the measures; and Troy or Apothecary among the weights; also the table for counting English money, not to mention that for Federal money, which is so plainly based on the decimal system:

One day=86,400 seconds, one mile=63,360 inches.

One pound Troy (or Apothecary)=5,760 grains.

5,760 63,360=11

5,760 86,400=15

We see that the number of grains in a pound is contained an exact number of times (11) in the number of inches in a mile, 63,360, and also an exact number of times (15) in the number of seconds in a day, 86,400.

One Pound=960 farthings and one Circle=36 degrees. Upon examination we find that 120 will devide each of the following numbers exactly—86,400, 63,360, 6,760, 960 and 360.

ILLUSTRATIVE EXAMPLE.

A coil of wire was unwound from a reel at the rate of an inch per second. Each inch weighed a grain and cost a farthing. The reel revolved on its axis at the rate of one degree circular measure every second. It took twenty-four hours to unwind all the wire.

Solve the following questions:

1. How many pounds Troy did the wire weigh?
2. How many pounds sterling did the wire cost?
3. What part of the whole would a mile of wire be?
4. How much would a mile of wire weigh?
5. How much would the same cost in pounds sterling?
6. How much would a pound Troy cost in pounds sterling?
7. How many revolutions would the reel make in twenty-four hours?
8. How many revolutions in turning off one mile of wire?
9. How many in turning off one pound Troy?
10. How many in turning off wire to the value of one pound sterling?

As a man travels on in the journey of life, his objects of wonder daily diminish, and he is continually finding out some very simple cause for some great matter of marvel.—Washington Irving.

There is no beautifier of complexion, or form, or behavior, like the wish to scatter joy and not pain around us.—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

YES, WE HAVE AN

N. C. TRUCKERS' ASSOCIATION.

Bro. "Star" Didn't You Know It?

A CALL FOR THE ANNUAL MEETING SOON TO BE MADE.

One year ago last Monday, February 17th, the Truckers in and around Clinton organized the Sampson Truckers' Association. On March, the 12th, this Association issued a call for a State Truckers' Association to meet the 4th and 5th of April. On the day appointed the Association was organized in the town of Clinton, with delegates from Faison, Mount Olive, New Berne, Magnolia, Warsaw, Fayetteville Wilmington and Clinton. The meeting was a very interesting, we hope, and profitable one. The members present were much pleased with the beginning.

It would seem from the following articles that the Star is not aware of the existence of the association:

The Atlanta Constitution says the truck raisers of Georgia have taken the initiatory steps towards the organization of a stock company with headquarters at Macon, and branches in all the truck growing counties of the State, the object of which is to keep an eye on the truck market, arrange for shipping and marketing the crop, so as to prevent gluts by which the profits of the truck men are destroyed. They are to keep truck raisers posted in the acreage, supply, demand, &c., and thus enable them to work intelligently and profitably. This is a good idea, and we note it because something similar might be done to advantage by the truck raisers of this State.—Wil. Star, Feb. 6th.

The truckers of Georgia have organized a joint stock company to enable them to conduct their business to better advantage, to which we called attention yesterday and suggested that perhaps the truck raisers of North Carolina might advance their interests by a similar organization. This suggests another idea, and that is the organization of companies among truckers and fruit-growers, to operate canneries and thus save most of the fruit and vegetables which it will not pay to ship when prices go down. The canning industry is carried on extensively in several of the Northern and Western States, and a beginning has been made in the South, but only a beginning as yet. With a sufficient number of canneries the trucker and fruit-grower would be comparatively independent, for then he would not be compelled to take any price offered when the market was full, or let his products rot. In providing a way to save what he raises he also provides a way to ensure better prices for it.—Wil. Star, Feb. 7th.

However, we are glad to see the articles for they serve to call attention to the necessity of the organization which is already in existence. We understand that the executive committee will soon issue a call for the Second Annual Meeting of the North Carolina Truckers' Association. Hope that the Star will be represented at the next meeting.

HOW IS IT?

The following is taken from the Durham Sun, and is such a poser that we cannot refrain from giving our readers the benefit of it: Jim's father was John's son; and John's mother was John's daughter, and Jim and John were no kin. Jim was John's grandfather, and John's Jim's grandfather, and Jim and were no kin. This is said to be the actual relationship of a family in Durham county.

The "Orton" is an excellent hotel—large, handsome, well conducted, with everything first-class, affording all the comforts of a luxurious home. Like very many of the best hotels, its elevator obviates the objection which many have to taking rooms on the upper floors. We have to discount stairs and go skyward on the "machine." As we watch the operations this query arises: Why is the elevator like Jacob's ladder? Is it not because so many angels ascend and descend upon it?—Through passenger on local freight in New Berne Journal.

SAMPSON'S BILL ARP.

(Special to THE CAUCASIAN.)

All the family at our house are all boys except one, and she is a girl. Father he was a boy, and my brothers they are all boys, I am a boy, and mother, she is the girl sometimes; I wish one of the boys had been a girl so I could find out more about all the girls in tha neighborhood, who of them were smart and had a good disposition, how many pleets they had in their dress, what sort of feathers they had in their hats and which ones dipped snuff. I know she would tell me sure if she wanted me to do something or go somewhere with her, for they get powerful confidential when they want to keep somethings hid from you, or have some purpose in view. If I had a sister I sould be mighty good to her. I would not tell her anything on the other boys, for she would be certain to ask me how I found i out, and the Bible does not say anything about getting married in Heaven. A bad boy and a good girl make a good match. He has got a plenty of steam, has caught on to all your sharp tricks and all she has got to do is to hold him on the track and he will do his own running. A pretty live girl and a goodie boy, and she will spring woman's rights on you every fire. Then he gets discouraged and has not vim and energy enough to blow his breath hard enough to keep the spiders from building cobwebs aver his mouth. And she, Lord have mercy, is worse than a pepper farm, just touch her and she will fire a whole community. Every lawyer and doctor can see her further than the old maid did the needle in the gate-post, when she had stuck it in there the day before, and told her maid to go and bring it when she saw her sweetheart coming. Her eyesight was powerful. And when the sheriff or constable goes to collect the taxes he looks like a hound dog the first time he goes to town.

Yes, girls, you had better let woman's rights alone if you don't want to break down the sanctity of the law that is thrown around you for your protection and change the desent of property.

Marry some good, honest fellow. Let all your greatness be centered in him, shove him for all he is worth and rock the cradle and attend to society, the church, and Snuday-school and you will be happy and have somebody to love you when the balance of the world will cast you off.

I have been working around the garden and yard this week, getting ready to sow the cabbage, garden peas, beans, raddishes, &c. Its mighty nice to have and the cost is so little here in this glorious clement South of ours we do not appreciate the value, and I am convinced one girl is enough about a premises. They can tell you more things in a single breath than you can do in a week: "You have not got that row straight, dig this trench a little deeper, knock off those clods, drive out the chickens," I must crop their wings in the morning, shut up the hen house, fix the cracks in the fence, fix that side gate, "it don't swing good; I want you to go down town and bring me some sugar, coffee, flour, starch, soap and molasses, some matches and a yard of bleeching, some black buttons and a spool of No. 60, black thread, now don't forget No. 60," and you hear 60 until you get out of the gate clear down town. You have thought of sixty so much you forget the color and everything else, but to stay down town till plum dark.

As I was coming down the street the other day I met quite a little boy in a whole heap of trouble. He had a paper sack full of rice and the bottom of the sack was not pasted good. It began to leak, and the more it leaked the tighter he would squeeze it, and the harder he mashed the more it leaked. He struck a trot. The more he would jolt the faster it would run out. He began to cry, run and squeeze the bag; and by the time he got to the gate, he did not have any rice in his bag, but a nice streak behind him. He knew something was wrong, but he did not know how to manage it. I thought that that's exactly the way the Republican party was by the negro. They had him in their arms but they squeezed him so hard he all spilled out; and they are now standing bawling and railing at the South with the bag of deception they had him in But he is being educated now and he is beginning to find out who his friends are. He has quit steal-

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Our Farmers' Column.

SOMETHING INTERESTING TO THOSE WHO TILL THE SOIL.

"There is no material progress that is well based and permanent without agricultural progress."

We were out a few evenings since at the farm of Mr. Richard Holmes, known as the "Dr. Bunting Place." We were surprised to see his fields green with vegetation, as if it were early June. He has about four acres of garden peas (for the Northern market) from eight to twelve inches high. He also has a large field of rye on which his lambs and other stock were feeding and sporting. It was really invigorating—it would have cured a man of the "blues" to have seen those green fields in this, the bleakest part of the year. He will plant another another crop on this land after the peas are off. Mr. Holmes tells us that last year, when he took charge of the place, that it was "run down," and that the best of the land had not, the year before, made five bushels of corn to the acre. He proceeded to manure, as far as he could, by putting twenty-five bushels of cotton seed and one hundred and fifty bushels of stable manure, composted, to the acre, and what he could not manure that well he would not "tend." By stable manure he does not mean lot manure, which is often almost worthless, but manure made from cows, horses, sheep, goats and hogs kept in *covered* stables, houses and pens. He would not take $200 to-day for the manure in his stables, and it is, we believe, worth more than the amount of commercial fertilizer you could buy for $500.

In spite of a bad crop year he increased the yield of that same land five fold last year. This year, with ordinary luck, he hopes to make $50 per acre on his peas, and after that crop is off to then make a bale of cotton to the acre or from forty to fifty barrels of corn.

The secret of the whole thing is intense farming,—plenty of manure and have something growing all the time. There should be a rye field on every farm in the county. It not only saves corn and fodder, but keeps the stock healthier. They need green feed during the winter as well as summer.

Big Hogs, Etc.

Representative Stevens has killed a hog weighing five hundred and fifty pounds. He killed two others weighing three hundred and fifty-five and two hundred and ninety respectively.

Mr. R. A. Draughon also killed a pig, a few days since, weighing four hundred and forty.

Representative Stevens tells us that while having his potato field flushed up, a few days ago, that the plow share turned up sound potatoes, while many of those that he had housed had rotted.

HOW TO RAISE COTTON,

Independent of "Cuffy" and Commercial Fertilizers.

(Special Cor. Caucasian.)

HOBTON, N. C., Feb. 13, 1890.

MR. BUTLER—Dear Sir: Perhaps some of the older "bloods" will say another youth has sprung up to show himself above the ordinary, but "we should be not the last to lay down the old nor the first to take up the new."

As it is now about time to prepare land for planting cotton, I will give my experience in preparing the land and working the crop to make the best crop with the least work.

First break the land "flush," then run the rows two feet ten inches apart on ordinary land, and this is wide enough for almost any of our land. Then put in plenty of good compost, as it does not pay to plant cotton and work it without plenty of good home-made manure. Run two furrows with a turn plow of some kind that will not make too large a bed, as we do not want the seed too high. Plant about the 25th of April, putting about three bushels of seed per acre, so as to be sure of a good stand.

Hold on, old "blood," don't say that is too many seed, I know they are rather scarce this year, but you want to make a good crop on the land you work, so put plenty of seed and get a good stand.

When the seed or plant is up the first thing you do to the cotton, run across the rows with a cotton plow (Stonewall is preferrable) beginning so as to run square across the rows, using the small point and sho t sweep for ordinary land. If the land is very rich, the large point and long sweep is better, keeping the right side of the plow to the plant and continue so on through the field. When you get over turn back immediately and side with small point, small wings and long sweep. This cleans the cotton and destroys the grass completely, if the plowing has been done by a careful plowman. Let the cotton stand a few days till large enough to thin, then thin to one or two stalks, according to fertility of the soil, and side up close to the plant again, using a cotton plow with small point, small wings and fifteen inch sweep. This cleans out the middle of rows, dirts the cotton and leaves it in good order to plow next time. If "cuffy" has gone to Georgia and the rain has set in, plow across again with point and short sweep, with either small or large wings. If you have any geese turn in about one to the acre; let them chop the grass while you do the plowing, and pen have the dead wood on "cuffy." I have tried this two years and know it works out well. T. A. H.

COTTON SEED MANURE.

Its Value as Plant Food as Compared with Others.

In reply to a correspondent inquiring as to the value of cotton seed manure, the Southern Cultivator says:

"The manure from a fattening beef, fed on cotton-seed meal and hulls, is much richer than ordinary cow manure. If all the manure, both solid and liquid, be saved and made perfectly dry by evaporating the water, the result would be about one-half the weight of the cotton-seed meal and the hulls consumed by the animal. About three-fourths to seven-eighths of the nitrogen, and practically all of the phosphoric acid, potash and other animal matter in the food consumed, will appear in the manure, it being in the dung. The quantity of water, however, and other worthless matter, sand, clay, litter, etc., would reduce the richest of the manure far below that of the food consumed. After all, such manure is no richer than that from a well-fed horse. Therefore you need have no apprehensions of applying too much to cotton, corn or potatoes. It would be well to compost or mix the manure with acid phosphate, and some form of potash, as it is relatively deficient in these two elements, say six hundred pounds of acid phosphate and two hundred pounds of kainit, or fifty pounds of muriate potash to each ton of the manure. Let stand a few weeks, and apply from five nundred to one thousand pounds to the acre.

Irish Potatoes for Market.

A few days ago a valued subscriber asked us to publish a statement of the method of culture o. Irish potatoes and their shipment, in vogue at New Berne, and we took the liberty of calling on Gen. Battle, of the New Berne Journal, to procure the information for us. He has kindly done so, and we are indebted to him for the following particulars furnished by Mr. Wm. Dunn, President of the N. C. Fish, Oyster, and Game and Industrial Association, and one of the foremost truckers of that section.

"The variety usually planted is the Early Rose. Plant any time from 1st February to the 1st of March. The season and weather should in a measure regulate time of planting. Most any land is suitable for potatoes 'except stiff clay,' provided it is well drained.

"The mode of cultivation usually practiced here is as follows: Plant either two and a half or three feet rows, twelve inches in the row. If on light soil plant deep. When the seed have sprouted and before the sprouts have reached the surface, run a two horse harrow across the rows, leveling the field, this leaves a nice, smooth surface for them to come through.

"When the plants are three or

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STATEMENT
OF
The Mutual Life Insurance Co.
OF NEW YORK.
RICHARD A. McCURDY, PRESIDENT.
For the year ending Dec. 31st, 1889.

Assets,	$136,401,778 02
Increase in Assets,	$10,519,174 16
Surplus,	29,637,246 44
Increase in Surplus,	21,717,184 81
Receipts,	31,119,019 07
Increase during year,	24,983,097 10
Paid Policy-Holders,	15,600,008 26
Increase during year,	3,473,658 16
Risks assumed,	151,402,185 37
Increase during year,	140,388,222 35
Risks in force,	463,340,933 92
Increase during year,	98,824,749 56
Policies in force,	182,310
Increase during year,	23,941
Policies written in 1889,	44,477
Increase over 1888,	11,921

THE ASSETS ARE INVESTED AS FOLLOWS:

Real Estate and Bond & Mortgage Loans,	$69,561,913 13
United States Bonds and other Securities,	45,327,169 81
Loans on Collateral Securities,	19,815,500 00
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies at Interest,	27,988,622 79
Interest accrued, Premiums deferred and in transit, etc.	3,581,812 29
	$136,401,328 02

Liabilities (including Reserve at 4%), $126,744,079 58

Year.	Risks Assumed.	Risks Outstanding.	Assets.	Surplus.
1885	$44,691,430	$102,789,586	$103,876,176	$1,743,773
1886	46,907,130	106,401,447	108,648,938	5,018,934
1887	55,855,751	303,804,205	114,181,961	5,643,566
1888	91,013,805	427,940,933	125,883,713	6,791,437
1889	151,402,185	463,340,933	136,401,778	7,509,211
	391,870,301	955,940,933	136,401,778	7,509,211

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"A STITCH IN TIME SAVES NINE!"

Don't wait to get sick, but when you begin to feel bad come and get a dose of medicine and prevent sickness. This is the proper use of medicine. If you will do this you will scarcely ever have a doctor's bill to pay or lose months of time, and put your friends and relatives to such a deal of trouble.

In addition to my complete line of pure and reliable Drugs, I carry Warner's Log Cabin Remedies, B. B. B., the S. S. S., Quinine in small and large quantities; Simmon's Liver Regulator, Famous Specific Orange Blossom, Cuticura Remedies, Dr. Pierces Favorite Prescription, the Golden Medical Discovery, Horse and Cattle Powder (1 pound packages prepared by the Herb Co. of W. Va. Quaker brand.)

Prescriptions carefully compounded. Local and office practice upon request. Respectfully,
aug1—tf DR. R. H. HOLLIDAY.

NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION in my hands in favor of J. F. Gore & Bro. vs. Richard Hobbs, I will sell, by public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, at the Courthouse door in Clinton, on Monday, the 24th day of February, 1890, the following described tract of land: In Halls township, adjoining the lands of J. A. Fort, D. R. Watson, Nathan Britt and others, containing thirty-four and three-fourth acres.

J. M. SPELL,
Sheriff Sampson Co.
January 23rd, 1890.—4t

NOTICE.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS administrator of Enoch Wilson, deceased, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against the deceased to present them on or before the 16th day of January, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.
All persons indebted to the deceased are requested to make prompt payment.
B. G. E. DAUGHTREY,
Administrator.
NICHOLSON & COOPER, Att'ys.
January 16th, 1890. 6t

NOTICE.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS as administrator upon the estate of Rebecca Tew, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against the estate of the said Rebecca Tew, to present them to him for settlement on or before the 15th day of January, 1891, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to the said Rebecca Tew are requested to make immediate payment. J. L. TYNDALL, Adm'r.
NICHOLSON & COOPER, Att'ys.
This Jan. 6th, 1890.—9-6t

Notice of Sale!

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court to create assets to pay debts, the undersigned will, on Monday, February 24th, 1890, at Clinton, N. C., by public auction, sell the lands belonging to the estate of S. O. Sutton, deceased, in two tracts.
First tract of fifty acres, on west side of public road, adjoining lands of W. H. Byette and others.
Second tract of fifty-three acres, more or less, being the rest of the land described in the petition, adjoining lands of S. R. Daughtry, W. A. Boyette and others.
TERMS OF SALE—25 per cent cash and balance with 8 per cent. interest, due November 1st, 1890, and title retained.
S. R. DAUGHTERY, Adm'r.
Clinton, N. C., Jan. 17, 1890.—tds

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Advertisers think of this.

CLINTON, N. C.—FEB. 20, 1890.

TO THOSE WHO OWE US.

We believe that every man, to whom we are now sending this paper, intends to pay us. If we did not think so we would mark off such name before this paper is sent out. But, while your accounts are good, they will not answer the place of money. We can't use your accounts to pay our hands, nor to buy paper, ink and a hundred other things needed in running a newspaper. We know that money is scarce, but a good newspaper we are bound to run, so let everyone help by paying a part now and the remainder as soon as he can.

The Wilson Advance, an excellent weekly, has completed its twentieth volume.

The Duke of Orleans has been sentenced to ten years imprisonment by the French Government.

Final judgment in the Cross and White case is seven and five years respectively at hard work on the public roads.

THE CAUCASIAN'S congratulations to the State Chronicle, one of the best of our State weeklies, upon entering a new volume. Brother Daniels is a clear headed, fearless and sound writer.

Next Saturday is the 158th anniversary of Washington's Birth-Day. His two most remarkable traits were probably his universal greatness as a truth-teller and his wonderful adaptability to men and events.

Raleigh gets the Baptist Female College. Other places bid more, but we think the selection of the committee a wise one. Yes, the classic shades of the City of Oaks will soon be the pet expression of the commencement orator.

Thomas A. Edison, the great electrician and inventor, is now in the western part of this State examining the gold ores of the State and experimenting on them with his electric process for separating the gold. He spends some time in Asheville before returning.

The Fish, Oyster, Game and Industrial Exposition of New Berne, N. C., promises to be a big success this year. The fair is to be held in new buildings, on new grounds, all to be lighted by electricity. The last issue of the New Berne Journal has a well-written and tastily displayed advertisement of the coming event, covering one entire side of the paper. We hope to be able to attend. The fair opens February 24th and continues to March the 1st.

The 55th celebration of the anniversary of the two literary societies at Wake Forest took place last Friday evening. Query: Should the United States have a Railroad Commission? Decided in favor of the affirmative. There are 171 students in attendance at the college this year. The graduating class will number 24. The college is broadening in its work. We are glad to see that the English, the most important but often neglected department is to be made more comprehensive. The Endowment of the college is now $165,000.

When we get hold of such speeches as Senator Daniels delivered before the Virginia Legislature on the life and character of Jefferson Davis, and Senator Vance's in reply to Ingalls on the negro question, we wish that our paper was a mammoth sixteen page concern, so we could publish them in full, but this is only one of the many thousand vain wishes of a county editor. We remember that it is hard to make a four page paper pay, then our thoughts turn into an entirely different and not altogether pleasant channel and we forget all about big speeches.

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four inches high, if any grass is in the rows, hoe them; follow the hoeing with a cultivator on each side, thus throwing a little dirt to the young plants. After this, when the crop needs working, do it with a cultivator, 'do not use turn plow.'

'Fertilize with 300 pounds or more of potatoe fertilizer, containing about six per cent. phos. acid and 7 per cent potash. A popular brand of this fertilizer is manufactured by E. H. & J. A Medows.

"Pack for shipment in flour barrels, with cloth heads, the barrels should have four or five holes chopped in the sides for ventilation.—News-Observer.

Dr. Peyton H. Hoge, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Wilmington, N. C., has published an article in "The Star" on "Funeral Reforms." He says:

"There are three classes of questions that suggest themselves in reference to the conduct of funerals: Questions of health, questions of expenditure, and questions of taste or decorum."

He thinks the metalic case which holds the germs of disease for future distribution should never be used, but a case that will allow the body to return to the mother dust as soon as possible; persons often stand bareheaded and on wet ground at funerals, which is often the cause of another funeral.

He calls attention to the folly of expensive funerals, and appeals to the rich to set the example of common sense economy. He thinks a profusion of flowers in bad taste, a simple wreath is the proper thing. The coffin should be closed at the residences in the presence of the family only and not open afterwards.

Apropos to the above the Religious Herald has a timely article on the undefensible practice of wearing black, "that strange custom of the Church of God." It is a relict of monarchy—the days of outward show. Why do those who have griefs and sorrows wish to so advertise them to the public? Friends and relatives need no such reminder and the general public care nothing about them. Besides black mourning is very unhealthy.

The annual statement of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, which appears on the first page of this paper, shows the remarkable progress made by this institution during twelve months. The record made by the Mutual eclipses its own best efforts, and does really seem to exceed that of any other financial institution in the whole world. The new business written amounted to $151,602,483.37, an increase of $48,388,222.05 over the new risks assumed in 1888, and a gain of $82,144,015 over the business of 1887—showing a continuous and phenomenal advance. The assets of the Mutual Life now aggregate $136,401,328.02, indicating a gain for the year of $10,319,-174.46. The Company has now an outstanding insurance account amounting to $565,949,-933,92. Its total income from all sources is reported at $31,-119,019.62. It paid to its members during the year for death claims and endowments and other obligations $15,200,608 38. Up to date the Mutual had 182,-310 policies in force, showing a gain in membership for the year of 23 941, thus forming the biggest army of policy-holders in any regular Life Insurance Company in the world. The surplus fund was increased $1,-717,184 81 in 1889, and the Mutual now has $9,657,248 44 over and above every liability.

An article has been going the rounds of the papers giving an account of a remarkable yield of corn by a farmer in South Carolina. The yield was 251½ bushels on one acre, the largest yield on record. We have some of the corn on our table. It is of the "gourd seed" variety, and each grain is three-fourths of an inch in length. The address of the farmer is Z. J. Drake, Drake, South Carolina. The corn was brought to us by Mr. ———, representing Boykin, Carmer & Co., of Baltimore, who is just from that section of South Carolina, and who furnished Mr. Drake with nitrate of soda for top dressing. He says that the land on which the corn was raised is a porous, dark sandy loam, and naturally poor until improved.

Old newspapers for sale at THE CAUCASIAN office at 25 cents per hundred.

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ing almost and gone to doing like his white neighbor; get goods on a credit and never pay for them; and that is one evidence he is capable of high civilazation. The negro did not have sense enough to cover up his tracks like some folks. They can do mean things under a color of respectability. Go to church on a Sunday, look sanctified and rank in the best society; and if a good man dare to part his lips the whole community will fall on him and drive him out.

Farmers, if you see anything that is not right you are not afraid to speak, because you can make your living at home and not be beholding to anybody. Jump on it

WITHYO' PLOW.

Alliance Department.

☞ [THE CAUCASIAN was adopted as the official organ of the County Alliances by the County Alliance, January 19th. ☜

To the Sub-Alliances.

I know that it is my duty to go to every Alliance, and especially where invited to do so; but it is sometime impossible, and I hope that the lodges I am forced to refuse will not take offense but decide on some other day. Don't ask me to go on Saturday's, for I have no one to leave in my office when at sent. I can leave on Thursday's probably better than any other day.

Very truly and fraternally,

MARION BUTLER.
County Lecturer.

The color of the trade card for this quarter is green and no other color should be used. A different color will be used every quarter.

PINEY GROVE, NO. 617.

We are pleased to announce that the County Lecturer, Mr. Marion Butler, has consented to deliver a public lecture at Piney Grove on Thursday, March 13th, at 1 o'clock. The public is invited to come out and hear him.

COHARIE, NO 654.

The public is invited to come out to Coharie Academy on Saturday, March the 8th, at 11 o'clock, to hear a public address by the County Lecturer.

Eureka, No. 328, Mrs. S. J. Cooper, Secretary; Postoffice, Owenville.

Ingold, No. 656, J. W. Green, Secretary; postoffice Ingold.

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Cedar Hill, No. 830, Fountain Jackson, Secretary; postoffice, Hawley's Store.

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Alliance trade cards for sale at THE CAUCASIAN office at 25 cents per hundred.

We are glad to see that Woodrow Wilson, the author of the excellent book, Congressional Government, has been elected Professor of Political Economy at Princeton. Wilson is a Southern man and wrote his able work when only about twenty-five.

The first through train on the C. F. & Y. V. railroad from Wilmington to Movnt Airy passed over the line Monday. The Mt. Airy News says;

"The C. F. & Y. V. railway is completed from Mt. Airy to Wilmington—from the mountains to the sea. This is by odds the longest railroad in the State, and is becoming one of the best paying railroads in the South. In a few years the connection with Cincinnati will be made and long trains will go thundering through Mount Airy to all important points. The business men of Wilmington are making arrangements to entertain the merchant's excursion from Mount Airy to that city."

An Unfortunate Millionaire.

A tall, erect man of 45 years strolled along Chestnut street the other day, idly looking at the passers by who thronged the thoroughfare, says The Philadelphia Press. He wore a derby hat, a dark top coat and carried a stick of the most approved pattern. His clothing was cut in the latest style, and his heavy Vandyke beard proclaimed him to be a man of fashion. For convenience he may be called Mr. Clinton and he lives in New York. Mr. Clinton was left an orphan with $60,000 income when he was 14 years old. Since then he has been everywhere and has seen everything. Yet, as he said last evening, he is the most miserable man on earth. He never married, because so many girls laid in wait for his money, thus making him suspicious. He doesn't know what to do or how to kill time. He is by no means unknown as an ethnologist, and is an authority on certain gases. He is musical and fond of pictures and books. But everything bores him. Just now he is especially melancholy. Last summer one of his cousins was taken seriously ill, and a nurse from Philadelphia was called into requisition. The nurse is a magnificent specimen of womanhood, tall, lithe and agile, possessing eyes and teeth and hair that perfectly charmed young Mr. Clinton, who had been all over the world. Her manners and conversation captivated him. He fell in love, proposed and was rejected. Since July he has been "getting miserabler and miserabler," so he says, and has proposed twice more to the nurse.—Philadelphia Press.

Russian Wolves.

A curious report was recently brought home by a traveler from Norway, which, if it be true, will go far to correct the accepted ideas concerning the wisdom of extirpating noxious animals in countries where they abound. It is said that in one of the northern provinces the reward offered by the government for the destruction of wolves had resulted in their becoming practically extinct, and thus far there was every reason for congratulation. But it now appears that, unknown to man, the Norwegian wolves had been constantly engaged in a patriotic war of self defense against the voracious packs of Russian Lapland; so long as their numbers were undiminished they held their ground, and even continued to do so for some time after they had begun to be decimated by the misguided hostility of their human fellows. It would seem that there then supervened a period in which the Russian wolves assumed a wily Fabian policy, "biding their time" until the hand of man, stimulated by government blood money, had finished its work.

At last the ground was clear, but no sooner had the Norse folk begun to rejoice than a fresh incursion was reported of huge hungry wolves from beyond the frontier, which have occupied the vacant hunting grounds of the slaughtered animals, so that the whole process of "extinguishing" must be recommenced, with no better prospect of finality than the labor of Sisyphus.—Murray's Magazine.

Brother Tom Disconcerted.

A ludicrous incident occurred at Killarney cathedral in the presence of Lord Kenmare and all the local magnates. Barke was preaching for the Presentation Brothers' school, and his sermon reached an unusual length. The brothers, anxious only for a good collection, began rattling the tin plates as a hint to the preacher to stop. The bishop, Dr. Moriarty, frowned from his throne and the noise ceased. The portly prior advanced from his stall and took up his position in front of the pulpit, full in the view of all present except Burke. The preacher was just then expatiating on the zeal of the brothers. He pictured forth the pale ascetic monk, his emaciated frame bearing evidence of his fastings and vigils. He was surprised to find the audience was smiling. He tried to be more impressive, and again reverted to the mortified and overworked monk. The audience could hardly contain their merriment. There in front of them was the rotund figure, the broad jelly face of the prior, beaming like a full moon, visible to all but the preacher, and fully enjoying the beautiful description of the ascetic monk. Greatly disconcerted, the preacher concluded as quickly as he could, and it is but right to mention the collection did not disappoint the fraternity.—Temple Bar.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

BY VIRTUE OF SUNDRY executions in my hands, in which W. A. Faison is defendant, or one of the defendants, I will expose to public sale, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Courthouse door in Clinton, on Monday the 24th day of February, 1890, the same being Monday of February Court, a certain tract of land of the said W. A. Faison, situated in part in the county of Sampson and in part in the county of Duplin, beginning at the said W. A. Faison and Morisey corner on the run of Turkey swamp and up said run to the public road leading from Clinton to Warsaw, then with said road toward Warsaw to a stake on said road, to within one chain of Red Hill Branch, a corner of the land formerly belonging to A. M. Faison, then with the dividing line between said W. A. Faison and A. M. Faison, a direct line to a holly on Buck Hall, thence with the line of said W. A. Faison dividing his lands from the lands of Boyette, Herring, Brown, Peirce, Blackmore, Ballaam Boyette, J. R. Faison, M. C. Blount, the C. Thomson land and the Morisey land to the beginning, containing 3,340 acres more or less, saving and excepting the homestead of the said W. A. Faison, which has been allotted to him out of said tract of land.

J. M. SPELL,
Sheriff Sampson Co.
January 22nd, 1890.—4t

NORTH CAROLINA SAMPSON CO.—IN SUPERIOR COURT, BEFORE THE CLERK.

H. K. Bennett, G. W. Bennett and others, heirs at law of Sampson Bennett, deceased,

vs.

J. D. Kerr, Jesse E. Jernigan, the heirs of Henry Bennett, the heirs of Harriet Robinson, Robert H. Bennett and Harriet Cooper.

To the heirs of Henry Bennett and Harriet Robinson, deceased, and Robert H. Bennett and Harriet Cooper. Take notice that the above proceeding has been begun in the Superior Court of Sampson county for the purpose of selling certain lands belonging to the heirs at law of the said Sampson Bennett, and located in said county of Sampson, for partition among the said heirs at law. And you will further take notice that you are hereby commanded to be and appear before me, at my office in Clinton; on Saturday, the 8th day of March; 1890, then and there to answer or demur to the said petition; and if you fail therein the said petitioners will apply for the relief prayed for in their petition. J. S. BIZZELL, C. S. C.,
Sampson County.
This Jan. 28th, 1890.—30-6t

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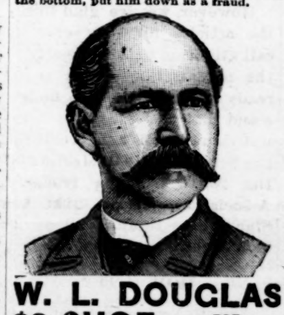

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Yours Truly,
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Call at our store and examine the new Soft Stop which saves pianos from wear while practising and makes tone inaudible to all outside of room. A wonderful invention.

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Goldsboro, N. C.

CIDER.

HEADQUARTERS FOR BEST PEACH AND APPLE CIDER,
(Corner of Elm and R. R. Street.)

SWEET AND HARD CIDER always on hand. In addition to this pleasant and healthy drink I keep

Tobacco, Snuff,
Flour, Potash,
Candies, Soda,
and Pea-Nuts

which are sold at lowest prices for cash.

600 Pipes, of all styles and sizes. Try one.

Respectfully,

THOS. GAUTIER.

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CLINTON
Harness Establishment!

[ESTABLISHED IN 1867.]

I am now located on Fayetteville Street, opposite CAUCASIAN office.

I put up and keep in stock, or make to order, any style of Harness, from $13.00 to $40.00. I also make all styles and grades of Saddles, Bridles, Halters and everything in this line.

Good, honest work at the lowest living figures, is my guide and motto in business.

A large supply of Northern Harness and a fine line of Driving Whips always kept on hand. Call and examine. Respectfully,

sep5—3m W. H. STETSON.

SHILOH'S CATARRH REMEDY—a positive cure for Catarrh, Diphtheria and Canker Mouth For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

☞ "Wants" and Business Notices can be inserted in this column at ten cents a line.

Calicoes 5 cents at
MOORE & BARTRICK'S.

New crop Cuba Molasses just received and for sale at
C. P. JOHNSON'S.

For the newest styles in Dress Goods, Millinery and Fancy Goods go to Moore & Partrick's, in their new stand, the Atkins' Building.

Good Wool Blankets at $2.25 per pair, which are worth $3.50. Good Soda Crackers at 8 cents per pound.
☞ Jewelry and Spectacles a specialty, at.
B. F. POWELL'S.

Remember that I am selling out STRICTLY AT COST. Come in and get prices and then you will see the difference. That is, I charge you no profit, but sell the goods at just what what they cost me.
J. A. FERRELL.

Big lot of Seed Potatoes for sale cheap, also Buist's Garden Seeds; also a lot of Mohawk Beans just received. All parties wanting call immediately. C. P. JOHNSON.

Town Lots! Town Lots!! at Tomahawk, on C. F. & Y. V. See "ad."

NEW, FRESH SEEDS!—Collard and Cabbage, Watermelon, Squash, Cucumber, Beets, Tomatoes, and all other fresh Garden Seeds at 2½ cents a paper. Turnip Seed at 25 cents a pound, at W. R. KING & Co's.

24,000 good White Oak Staves, for spirit barrels, for sale. For terms apply to UNDERWOOD & BOYKIN,
Clinton, N. C.

Truckers can get the best Beans at
W. A. JOHNSON'S.

Selected Seed Potatoes at
W. A. JOHNSON'S.

Buist's Garden Seed and Onion Sets at W. A. JOHNSON'S.

LOST AT FAIR.

Two pair of Socks. One white pair and one blue pair. They were ribbed at the top nearly a finger length. Any person having taken them thro' mistake will please return them to me so the exhibitor may receive the same. MARION BUTLER, Sec'y.

SOCKS MISPLACED AT FAIR.

One pair of Socks. Knit of very fine cotton yarn—ribbed about a finger's length or longer. Narrow stripe of red at top.

Any person who may have taken the above from the Fair through mistake will do us a great favor by returning them to this office so that we may hand the same over to the rightful owner.

Very respectfully,
MARION BUTLER, Sec'y.

NOTICE!

I have just received two car loads of Marble at my Fayetteville Yard. Also two hundred small five dollar Head Stones for infants. Parties who are in need of work in my line will do well to write or call to see me at my works.

Respectfully,
CHAS. A. GOODWIN.

Index to New Advertisements.

The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York, B. F. Briggs, of Wilson, N, C., Agent.

MARKETS.

CLINTON.

(Reported by A. F. Johnson & Co.)

Corn, (new)	60
Peas, (stock)	80
" (white)	1 10
Bacon,	10 to 12½
Chickens,	15 to 25
Eggs,	10
Beeswax	18 to 20
Butter,	20 to 25
Lard,	10 to 12½
Fodder,	65
Flour,	4 50 to 5 50
Hides,	03 to 05
Turpentine, (hard)	1 20
" (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 35
Cotton,	10¼

WILMINGTON.

Spirits Turpentine,	41 per gallon
Rosin, (strained)	1 10 per barrel
" (good strained)	1 15 per barrel
Tar,	$1 45 per barrel
Crude Turpentine, (Hard)	$1 20
" (Virgin and Yellow Dip)	2 20
Cotton,	10¾
Timber, per m.,	3 00 to 15 00

Notice.

We are ready to issue certificates for special premiums to the parties to whom such were awarded. Where the premiums were shoes, hats etc., the party or parties to whom they were awarded should send us the number or size desired.

MARION BUTLER, Sec'y.

Eupepsy.

This is what you ought to have, in fact, you must have it, to fully enjoy life. Thousands are searching for it daily, and mourning because they find it not. Thousands upon thousands of dollars are spent annually by our people in the hope that they may attain this boon. And yet it may be had by all. We guarantee that Electric Bitters, if used according to directions and the use persisted in, will bring you Good Digestion and oust the demon dyspepsia and install instead Eupepsy. We recommend Electric Bitters for Dyspepsia and all diseases of Liver, Stomach and Kidneys. Sold at 50c and $1.00 per bottle by R. H. Holliday, Druggist.

For 23 Years
J. T. GREGORY
has occupied his same
TAILOR ESTABLISHMENT
on Church Street. The great and orignal leader in low prices for men's clothes. Economy in cloth and money will force you to give him a call.
☞ Latest Fashion plates always on hand. June 7th. 1yr.

LOCALS.

—Dr. George Thomas, of Wilmington, is dead.

—Court next week; His Honor Judge Graves presiding.

—Yesterday was Ash Wednesday. There were services in the Episcopal Church.

—Sampson's Bill Arp is growing popular. See his third article in this issue.

—Special drill of the Sampson Light Infantry to-night—every Thursday night.

—Is it not about time for the Sampson's Truckers' Association to hold its second annual meeting?

—Mr. R. C. Holmes and Mr. W. H. Russell have the framing of their residences on DeVane street up.

—Miss Mary Lou Brown will have the Young Ladies' Club to hold its next regular meeting at her place of residence.

—Rev. Thomas Strange will deliver the Bacculaureate address at the University. Rev. Thos. Dixon Will deliver the address at Wake Forest.

—The case of Merritt vs. Mosely, which was moved from this county to Duplin, was tried in Kenansvil'e last week. The jury returned a verdict for the defendant.

—A lady writing to the New York World, says:

"Why not put all the advertisements of the dry-goods houses on one sheet? Then when the ladies of the family wish to read the (to them) most interesting part of the paper, they will not have to wait until the males of said family devour the baseball news."

—Mr. Robert Peterson says that the surest and easiest way to destroy ground moles is to mix a little "Rough on Rats" with a little dough or bread and put in their paths. They are sure to eat it and sure to die.

—The State Sunday School Convention meets in Wilmington, N. C., next Tuesday, the 35th. The County Sunday School Convention will meet in the Baptist Church Saturday at 10 o'clock to elect delegates.

—An exchange says: Dust is one of the worst difficulties to contend with in keeping house-plants during the winter. If they can not be thoroughly protected the foilage must be washed off carefully every week or ten days.

—Yesterday being Ash Wednesday. Divine service was held in the Episcopal Church at this place, Rev. J. W. Turner officiating. Services are appointed in the same church for Sunday morning next at 11 o'clock, at which time the Holy Communion will be administered.

—Occasionally we get a letter from a subscriber asking us to discontinue his paper when the year is out. This we cannot do unless he has paid in advance, for it would necessitate a separate set of books. We need about two more days in a week to keep up with what we are trying to do at present.

—At the Baptist Church, on Sunday evening, Rev. Mr. Meeks lectured on the "Origin of Idolatry." He said that idolatry originated in the Garden of Eden, when Adam and Eve paid homage to the serpent. The flood was sent upon the world to destroy it—Noah and a few others were saved because they were free from the sin. But the sins of Adam outcropped again in his seed. We have had all kinds of idolatry. The idolatry of mammon is the reigning curse of the world to-day.

—The stock of the Sampson Building and Load Association is steadily growing. We understand that several Wilmington men have applied for stock, not with a view of getting a load (for none but citizens of the county can borrow money) but simply as a good paying investment. The Association is sure to prosper, for every cent of the money paid in on stock has already been borrowed out and there are applications in ahead now for the money as fast as it is paid in by the stockholders. We have five shares and would double the number now if we thought we could easily meet the weekly payments of 25 cents per share.

—Try to pay us all or a part of your subscription during next week. If you do not come to court send us whatever amount you can by mail and we will send you a receipt for the same by next mail stating exactly up to what time it pays. We have often heard good men complain that some editors were always DUNNING them through their papers. We are not dunning you you now, but are simply forced by necessity to ask you to come to our assistance. Don't hesitate because the amount you could send is small, for we assure you that any amount, however small, will be acceptable.

Henry James---James Henry.

Miss James Henry is now Mrs. Henry James. A quiet and democratic wedding took place Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. James S. Bizzell, Clerk of the Superior Court. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Colin Shaw. A reception was given in the evening at the residence of the groom's father, Mr. Perry James. THE CAUCASIAN extends its best wishes to the happy couple.

Are you made miserable by Indigestion, Constipation, Dizziness, Loss of Appetite, Yellow Skin? SHILOH'S VITALIZER is a positive cure. For sale by Dr. R. H. HOLLIDAY, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

All Through the County.

What Sampsonians are Doing and Saying.

☞ Send us the news from your township for this column. Every subscriber to THE CAUCASIAN has a right and is requested to contribute items of news in "hes" or her neighborhood for this column. We will not publish your name unless you desire it.☜

HONEYCUTTS.

Mr. R. M. Crumpler has fenced in a field using the barbed wire. He is much pleased with it.

Mr. W. F. Taylor and Miss Gertrude Taylor are over in Snakesville this week to see the new railroad.

MINGO.

Quantities of timber in this section waiting for a freshet.

A man in this section had his infare table set on last Sunday morning. He took his best girl in his buggy and started for a J. P. There was another man, who for some special reason, wished to be present when the knot was to be tied. Man No. 1 objected. So the prospective groom and bride and the would-be spectator run a race for the J. P's. The spectator got there first, whereupon the couple for reasons best known to themselves decided to postpone the nuptials.

The best-laid schemes o' mice and men
Gang aft agley,
And leave us naught but grief and pain,
For promised joy.

PINEY GROVE.

Several marriages have racently occurred, and as they havn't appeared in the columns of this paper, I guess the contracting parties don't desire their publicity. Hope 'tis a sign of a good crop year, and that the "La Grippe" will prove a daisy instead of a fatal epidemic.

Several farmers availed themselves of the protracted fair warm weather and went to work with renewed energy, like they mean business and to do away with so much guano this season and rely more on the compost heap.

Messrs. J. C. & E. D. Hobbs are running the rein ring machine by steam and can turn them out rapidly.

A man in an adjacent township has a cart body that will hold collard seed loose in it. This shows pretty good workmanship of the constructing mechanic.

The recent blooming of fruit trees and the unusually warm weather is a topic of conversation among some of the natives, and the ideas they they entertain, when expressed in words, are often quite amusing They seem to think old father Time is preparing for his final exit during the present year. Time will end forever with them when they die.

C.

[Does our correspondent mean to say that they have no souls?—ED.]

NEWTON GROVE.

Mr. D. C. King, aged 65 years, was married the third time on the 9th. The bride was a Mrs. Woodard, of Johnston county. May the third honey-moon be as sweet as the first.

Miss Mary Williams is teaching an excellent school at Persimmon College.

Miss R. E. Bolton, of Cumberland county, has been visiting in this section.

Miss Annie Southerland, and the Misses Cooper, of Kenansville, have been spending a few days with their friends here.

The firm of Rose & Bro., have moved their naval store business to Peacock's X Roads.

Our farmers are "making hay while the sun shines," or rather making wise preparations for it.

Mr. Samson Warren will in a few days put in a 3,700 pound water wheel—35 horse power, at his mill to run his machinery, consisting of a rice mill, cotton seed crusher, gin and grist mill. WE.

WESTBROOKS.

Mrs. E. A. Wilson, aged 62 years, died at her home on last Sunday morning at 1 o'clock. The funeral sermon was preached by Rev. F. R. Underwood.

TAYLOR'S BRIDGE.
(Not Heard From.)

DISMAL.
(Not Heard From.)

MCDANIELS.
(Not Heard From.)

TURKEY.
(Not Heard From.)

SOUTH CLINTON.
(Not Heard From.)

LITTLE COHARIE.
(Not Heard From.)

LISBON.
(Not Heard From.)

FRANKLIN.
Not Heard From.)

NORTH CLINTON.
(Not Heard From.)

HALLS.
(Not Heard From)

Corner-Stone Laying.

Having been granted a dispensation by Grand Master Samuel H. Smith to convene the Grand Lodge of North Carolina in Special Communication in the town of Clinton, March 7th, for the purpose of laying the Corner-Stone of the Methodist E. Church of that place, I take this means of inviting all Masons in good standing to be present and participate in the ceremonies.

J. M. MARSHBURN, W. M.
Hiram Lodge.

EXCUSE ME AGAIN.

To Each One of the Two Hundred.

I have on my books over a hundred subscribers, who are equally as good as a bank, yet who owe me from one to two years subscription. It is a small item, and they have neglected it on that account, knowing that I would be satisfied that I would get it, and that it would come in a good time when I did get it That is so, and would be all right if I could negotiate their accounts like money and pay my indebtedness with them. But unfortunately I had not a cent given me to start on in the world, and therefore have only a limited capital to work with. I bought this paper on the installment plan, so much coming due every few months. All the payments are not yet met. I have to meet not only my current expenses but also to raise enough to meet these payments, never laying aside a cent for myself. This being the case I must ask you to excuse me again for calling your attention to the small amount due, or else be unjust to others and to myself. I am sorry that I have not the money to pull out of my pocket and pay these obligations when they come due, but I have not, so must ask you to do me the genuine favor to come to my assistance.

There are also on my books the names of a hundred or more men who are due me for a year or more, but men who, like myself, are poor and hard pressed for money, but men who are equally as good and whom I would trust as far as the others,—men who are also as good as a bank, for they are true and honest. These I ask to do simply as much for me now as they can and pay the balance next fall. Pay me a little, if it is only 50 cents, for many littles will count up, a hundred 50 cents will make $50.00.

I believe that every county should have a good paper and I have striven to give my native county such a one, and to this end have devoted two of the hardest year's work of my life, therefore it is peculiarly mortifying to owe just debts which I am unable to meet. Try to give me a call during court next week, if not sooner.

Very truly and earnestly,
MARION BUTLER.

Shakespearean Club.

The Shakespearean Club met at the residence of Dr. A. M. Lee on last Friday evening. The next meeting will be at Mrs. W. H. Fowle's on the evening of the 28th. The programme for the meeting will be as follows:

Play—"As You Like It."

The first section of the club will come on duty as follows:

Orlando, by Miss Sudie Faison.

Touchstone & Jaques, by Mr. T. M. Lee.

The Ethical Side of Play, by Miss Nela Fowle.

Roselind, by Mr. Edward Faison.

Twelve Quotations from est passages, by Miss Mittie Beaman.

Abstract of Play, by Mr. J. C. Slocumb.

A resume of the play and discussions on it by the President.

Can't Get Along Without It.

RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 15.

Editor of Caucasian—Dear Sir: Please send THE CAUCASIAN to A. W. Colwell, care of A. & M. A. College, Raleigh, N. C., and draw on Mr. D. F. Colwell, of Harrell's store, for the amount necessary to settle for the same. Many thanks for the copy sent me sometime ago. We can't get along well without THE CAUCASIAN. The school is at work nicely now. Respectfully,
MRS. SUE C. CARROLL.

Died.

Capt. T. D. Smith, of THE CAUCASIAN office, received the sad intelligence Tuesday of the death of his mother in Virginia. She was an exceptionable pious woman and lived to the ripe old age of ninety-five years. Our sympathies are tendered the bereaved.

Personals.

Miss Charlotte Murphy, of Taylor's Bridge, is visiting at Mr. H. B. Chesnutt's.

Engineer Johnson is sick. Engineer Langston is temporarily running in his stead.

Messrs. Gabriel Holmes and —— Davis, of Wilmington, were up yesterday going for the "bob white."

Postmaster Ward was absent Monday, attending the funeral of his sister, Mrs. E. A. Wilson, in Westbrooks.

Attention!

We will advertise free of charge for any articles that may have been lost, mis-placed, or taken through mistake at the Sampson Fair last fall. Any one who has lost any article on exhibit will please send us a description of the same and we will try to trace it up.

Piles! Piles! Itching Piles!

SYMPTOMS—Moisture; intense itching and stinging: most at night; worse by scratching. If allowed to continue tumors form, which often bleed and ulcerate, becoming very sore. SWAYNE'S OINTMENT stops the itching and bleeding, heals ulceration, and in most cases removes the tumor. At druggists, or by mail, for 50 cents.
DR. SWAYNE & SON,
feb21—6m Philadelphia.

Do you take THE CAUCASIAN? If not, then it is your duty to do so, and help us make the paper better and more influential.

County Expenditures.

Amounts ordered paid by Commissioners at February meeting 1890 are as follows, viz:

To Jas. Hobbs, three months' support,	$ 9 00
" Nathaniel Faircloth, three months' support,	9 00
" Nancy Bledsole, 3 months' support,	3 00
" Marinda Hare, 3 months' support,	9 00
" Sarah A. Stewart, three months' support,	5 00
" Nellie Norris, 3 months' support,	7 50
" Mary Brewer, 3 months' support,	4 00
" Susan Powell 3 months' support,	4 00
" Sarah Williams, 3 months' support,	8 00
" Rachel Pope, 3 months' support,	3 00
" Nancy Stevens, 3 months' support,	3 00
" J. H. Britt and others, road jurors,	4 00
" N. R. Johnson, material and work on bridge,	4 70
" Rebecca Butler, 3 months' support,	5 00
" Beadie Hore, 3 months' support,	3 00
" J. D. Johnson, material and work on bridge,	2 00
" Mary Herring, 3 months' support,	2 50
" Maggie Kinsauls, three months' support,	5 00
" Cassie Herring, 3 months' support,	9 00
" Caucasian, publishing, &c.,	3 50
" Jno. R. Smith, conveying paupers to Sampson,	10 80
" Frank Honeycutt, services as road juror,	1 00
" Olive Murphy, 3 months' support,	5 00
" A. B. Brewington, three months' support,	4 35
" John and Nancy Hargrove, three months' support,	10 00
" J. L. Owen, conveying prisoners to jail,	2 00
" Theopulus Bryant, three months' support,	2 00
" Huldy Carter, 3 months' support,	2 00
" Daniel Lockany, cost in case, State vs. William Foreland,	5 50
" C. Partrick, one day as Ch B. C. C.,	2 00
" C. H. Williams, D. S., summoning road jurors,	3 00
" J. C. Hobbs, one day as com'r, 28 miles travel,	3 40
" J. M. Marshburn, one day as com'r, 24 miles travel,	3 20
" J. M. Marshburn, two days at bridges and 36 miles travel,	5 80
" O. F. Herring, one day as Clerk B. C. C.,	2 00
" O. F. Herring, fifty orders passed,	5 00
" O. F. Herring, merchants' returns,	5 00
" J. M. Spell, for wood and servant hire for Court-house,	6 90
" J. M. Spell, summoning jurors,	10 80

Correct as reference to Commissioners. Book will show.
O. F. HERRING,
Clerk of Board Co. Com'rs.

IN MEMORIAM.

Mrs. L. T. Hudson, wife of Dr. W. L. Hudson, died at her home in Sampson county, on February 3rd, 1890. She had been confined to her bed for a long time, but bore her sickness patiently and with that christian fortitude that so enameled her for this life and the life to come. She was a strict member of the Presbyterian church, and those who made her acquaintance could be enlightened as to what it was to be a christian. She was a native of Texas. Dr. Hudson left North Carolina, his native State in 1878 and pretty soon embraced matrimony with Miss L. T. Thomas, then her maiden name, were married in Texas, finally returning to North Carolina. Up to her demise to them had been born five children, four of whom survive her. A kind mother, a dutiful wife, has passed a way to her Heavenly Father, and may her life while on this earth be an example to her desolate husband and children, to sustain them in anchorage while on this earth and in the life to come. While children and husband bow in humble submission to the will of their Heavenly Father, yet may our Saviour guide them aright and in the future may find rest with dear mother where parting will be no more. X.

Wilmington Messenger will please copy.

FOR DYSPEPSIA
Use Brown's Iron Bitters.
Physicians recommend it.
All dealers keep it. $1.00 per bottle. Genuine has trade-mark and crossed red lines on wrapper.

FOR LAME BACK, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the Remedy for you. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY, Warsaw, N. C.

THAT HACKING COUGH can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure, we guarantee it. For sale by R. H. HOLLIDAY, Druggist, Clinton, and W. P. KENNEDY & Co., Warsaw, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Goshen High School.

Will Open Spring Term Monday, January 6th, 1889.

The School will be run under the same management as before.

We feel grateful for past patronage and trust for a continuance of the same.

For further particulars address the principal,
J. D. EZZELL,
dec26—tf Hobton, N. C.

NOTICE!

HAVING THIS DAY QUALified as administrator upon the estate of Neil Watson, deceased, the undersigned hereby gives notice to all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them on or before the 1st day of February, 1891, or this notice will be plead in bar of their recovery. And all persons indebted to the said estate will please make prompt payment.

D. B. NICHOLSON, Adm'r.
January 30th, 1890.—6t.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy will Cure Dyspepsia.

I, Joseph Latham, of Greenville, N. C., take pleasure in adding a word of commendation of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy. Mrs. Latham had the dyspepsia very badly, and the use of this remedy proved wonderful in its effects, and after using a few bottles her health vastly improved.
J. LATHAM,
Supt. Pub. Inst. Pitt Co.

Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy will Cure Indigestion.

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 14, 1889.

Last winter I was suffering very much from indigestion and general debility, with a broken down system, followed with chronic dysentery. I tried one bottle of Mrs. Joe Person's Remedy, and found so much relief and improvement I continued its use until I used the seventh bottle, which restored me to perfect health, and I am now sound as a silver dollar. I can cheerfully recommend it as a good restorative, blood purifier and a builder-up of broken down systems.
W. B. JORDAN,
Rept. for Raleigh News-Observer.

For sale by Clinton Druggists and by Wm. A. Johnson, Wholesale Agent, Clinton, N. C.
dec5—1y

DISTILLING AGAIN!

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MY OWN MAKE OF
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My clever salesman, MR. D. C. GIDDENS, will be pleased to serve you at all times.

☞ The lover of good wine should try our fine California brand.
C. PARTRICK.
February 6th, 1890.—tf

SALE FOR PARTITION.

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE of the Superior Court of Sampson county, the undersigned, as commissioner of said court, will sell by public auction, at the court house door in Clinton, N. C., on Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1890, for the purpose of making partition among the heirs of Rebecca Tew, an undivided half interest in the following tract of land, situate in Dismal township, adjoining the lands of Young Tyndall, J. L. Tyndall, W. B. Honeycutt and others, containing about 155 acres.

TERMS OF SALE—20 per cent. cash, one half balance in nine months and one half in twelve months, with 8 per cent. interest from date of sale until paid. Title reserved until purchase money is paid in full.
F. R. COOPER, Com'r.
This Jan. 29th, 1890.—4t

NORTH CAROLINA, SAMPSON CO.—IN SUPERIOR COURT, JANUARY 7TH, 1890.

W. L. Faison, Cashier Clinton Loan Association,
Against
F. L. Faison, administrator of A. M. Faison, deceased, William A. Faison, Vivie Devane, A. C. Dixon and wife, Mollie F. Dixon; Nathan W. Faison, F. L. Faison, De B. H. Faison and A. Mosely Faison.

The above action was brought by the plaintiff to recover judgment on a note made by A. M. Faison, deceased, and W. A. Faison, one of his surities, the said Abner M. being the father of the defendants, Vivie Devane, Mollie Dixon, Nathan Faison, F. L. Faison, De B. H. Faison and Mosely Faison for the sum of $1,200, due October 26th, 1888; and for a foreclosure of a mortgage on two tracts of land, known as the Fortner and Mears places, made by the said Abner M. and W. A. Faison to the plaintiff to secure the said note.

And the defendants, Nathan W. Faison and Mollie F. Dixon and her Husband, A. C. Dixon, are hereby notified to appear before the Judge at the the next term of our Superior Court to be held for the county of Sampson, at the courthouse in Clinton, on the 1st Monday before the 1st Monday in March, 1890, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, filed in this action.
JAS. S. BIZZELL, C. S. C.
jan16—6t

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feb13—tf

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feb6—2t [Clear Run, N. C.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. | NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

WE

Had no idea when we bought our big stock of Fall and Winter Clothing, Hats and Shoes, that the weather would be so warm during the season and so much stock left on our hands. Our inventory surprised us, yet we

SHALL

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MISCELLANEOUS:
K. of H.—Marion Butler, Dictator, meets every first and third Friday night at 8 o'clock.
Hiram Masonic Lodge—J. M. Marshburn, Master, meets every third Friday at 11 o'clock A. M.
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Supreme Courts for 4th, 6th and 7th Judicial Districts, 1890.

JUDGES (Resident.)
4th District, Spier Whitaker; Wake.
6th " E. T. Boykin, Sampson.
7th " J. C. McRea, of Cumberland county.

SOLICITORS.
4th District, T. M. Argo, of Wake.
6th " O. H. Allen, of Lenoir,
7th " Frank McNeill, of Richmond county.

Times for Holding Courts for 1890.

FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge MacRae.
Fall—Judge Boykin.
Wake—Jan. 6th, Feb. 24th, March 24th, April 21st, July 9th, Aug. 27th, Sept. 22d, Oct. 20th.
Wayne—Jannary 20th, March 10th April 14th, September 8th, October 13th.
Harnett—February 3rd, August 4th, November 24th.
Johnston—February 10th, August 11th, November 10th.

SIXTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Graves.
Fall—Judge Armfield.
Pender—March 10th, September 8th.
New Hanover—Jan. 20th, April 13th, September 22nd.
Lenoir—February 3rd. Aug. 10th, November 10th.
Duplin—February 10th, Aug 4th, November 24th.
Sampson—February 24th, April 28th, October 6, December 8th.
Carteret—March 7th, October 20th.
Jones—March 24th, October 27th.
Onslow—March 31st, November 3rd.

SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
Spring—Judge Bynum.
Fall—Judge Graves.
Columbus—January, 13th. March 31st, July 28th.
Anson—January 6th, April 28th, September 1st, November 24th.
Cumberland—January 20th, May 5th, July 21st, November 10th.
Robeson—January 17th, May 19th, September 29th.
Richmond—February 10th, June 2nd, September 15th, December 1st.
Bladen—March 17th, October 30th.
Brunswick—April 7th, September 8th.
Moore—March 3rd, August 11th, October 27th.

Judge Boykin holds court this Spring in the 3rd District, as follows:
Pitt—January 6th, March 17th, June 9th.
Franklin—Jan 20th, April 14th
Wilson—Feb. 3rd, June 2nd.
Vance Feb, 17th, May 19th.
Martin—March 3rd.
Greene—March 31st.
Nash—April 28th.

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CLINTON, N. C.—FEB. 20, 1890.

EDITOR BLOUNT IN A FIX.

For the past few days we have been as vain, and strutted as proudly as a peacock with distended narrative; and as we walked the streets, we felt that we were indeed Lord Ego of the island of Me in the ocean of Self. And the reason for the display of that "ecce homo" air of importance which characterized our lordly deportment can be found in the following article which we clip from the Charlotte Chronicle. Yes our pride has been so stuffed with being called a poet and rhetorician and orator and humorist, that we are almost "fit to burst" with the gas of self-elation, and we reckon we would but for the fact that we have tied a stout rope around our fragile and delicate form which still holds things in statu quo—the Latin for unburstedness. But nevertheless we are just tickled almost to death at the very kind notice of such generous friends, and if we "snicker out in meeting" we just can't help it, for we are human.—Wilson Mirror.

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The All Gone Feeling.

A great many people are unable to ride on elevator cars on account of the feeling that their hearts and souls are being pulled out of them when the machine starts to drop. People with heart affection are frequently forbidden by their physicians to ride in the cars, and it is disagreeable to thousands who ride in spite of it to save time and legs in the big buildings of the city.

A well known lawyer, who has a very level head at most times, admits that his head feels empty when the elevator starts down, but claims to have discovered a very simple mechanical trick by which he avoids the all gone feeling. He is willing to have it suggested to his fellow mortals anonymously and in no other way.

"I take a long breath," he said, "just as I step on the elevator, and hold it with a tight pressure. Then, just as the elevator begins to sink, I let it out exactly with the motion of the car. The quicker the car starts the quicker and harder I press out the air, and I don't feel as if my soul had flown out of my collar; in fact, I can avoid the least disagreeable sensation."

Another gentleman who tried the experiment vouched for the results in his case. "Don't imagine that you have to blow so that everybody else in the car can hear you," he said. "All you need to do is to hold the breath tightly and let it go noiselessly out the nose. I think the sensation is due to the sudden change of pressure of blood in the heart and head, and the compression of air in the breathing organs offsets that pressure by reaction when the car starts."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Observations from a Balloon.

The observations made during night ascensions, or those which were continued into the night, on temperatures at different heights, gave results different from the theories previously held on the subject. An increase of the temperature with the height was noticed after sunset. The rate of decline of temperature with elevation when near the earth was subject to variation as the sky was clear or cloudy. From an elevation of three miles cirrus clouds were seen apparently as far above the observers as they seem when viewed from the earth, and that under such conditions that it was hard to believe that their presence was due to moisture. The audibility of sounds from the earth depended considerably on the amount of moisture in the air.

The noise of a railway train can be heard in clouds four miles high, but not when the clouds were far below. The discharge of a gun was heard at 10,000 feet; the barking of a dog at two miles; but the shouting of a multitude at not more than 4,000 feet. Many differences in the results of observations were supposed to depend upon atmospheric conditions, while these vary with the time of day and the season of the year; so that a great many observations would be required to determine the true laws. Having followed up one of the observations recorded above with a captive balloon and by other means, Mr. Glaisher declared to the Meteorological society, in 1870, that the theory that the temperature is always lower at higher elevations is not true.—Popular Science Monthly.

Stamps as an Investment.

Stamp collectors are commencing to shiver in their shoes over a report that photograph engraving is being called in for the counterfeiting of rare specimens. There is no improbability in this rumor, though it at present lacks confirmation. However, no man with an eye in his head is likely to be deceived by a fraud of this sort. All others had better employ an expert to do their buying for them; still, with rare stamps reaching the great values they do, and large fortunes locked up in stamp albums, one cannot blame the philatelists who insist upon the necessity for guarding against forged specimens. According to an English publication, a famous collector, who is collecting English stamps, has an exclusively English collection that is worth in the open market $50,000. This sum would be realized if the collection were broken up and sold piecemeal, and there are several collections in England which range in value from $10,000 to $350,000. What is undoubtedly the most valuable collection in the world is the property of a German gentleman residing in Paris. The holder of this wonderful collection would not take $1,250,000 for it. Money would not purchase it. It is simply unique. Yet there are gaps in this collection, the owner of which is still one of the most enthusiastic collectors, always on the lookout for fresh acquisitions.—Yenowine's News.

Edible Flowers.

The latest novelty in the vegetable line is the introduction of edible flowers. The two which are said to be the most satisfactory belong—absit omen!—to the thistle family and rejoice in the names of calligonum polygonoides and bastia latifolia. The popular favor of both English and French seems to be hard to conquer in the case of the new dishes, but doubtless all will come in time. It is related of a clever Boston woman that once while she was living in the country abroad, in a spot where the markets were extremely unreliable, she was one day surprised by the arrival of several guests near the dinner hour. It chanced, as it usually does chance in such cases, that on that especial day her larder was more than commonly bare, and she had little to set before her guests. Her wit helped her out, however. The locusts were in full bloom, and selecting a number of the finest clusters, she had them dipped in batter and then fried in boiling oil.

The dish was not only an extremely ornamental one, the shape of the clusters being not unlike that of grapes, but it proved very palatable as well, and, if it was not very substantial, it at least went no inconsiderable way toward giving the appearance of solidity to the somewhat scanty dinner.—Boston Courier.

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AN ABIDING MYSTERY.

What the Cogitations of a Petit Jury Will Bring Forth.

Any man who should attempt to amuse his hearers nowadays by telling a story of a jury who brought in a verdict "Not guilty, but if he does it again he will get the full penalty," would be greeted with cries of "Chestnut, chestnut," and would be assured that thing was credited years ago to the far west, was immortalized by Mark Twain in one of his book, and that nobody believed that it ever did happen anyway. Yet the newspapers reported, and what the newspapers say must be true, that only a week ago a jury at Newark, N. J., trying a case at quarter sessions, brought in a verdict of "Not guilty, but we don't want him to do it again," and the verdict was accepted.

In the court of general sessions in this city last month, a jury, after spending an unusually long time in considering their verdict, came into court and the clerk asked:

"Are you agreed upon your verdict?"

"We have agreed," replied the intelligent foreman.

"What is your verdict, then?" said the clerk.

"We find," said the foreman, sagely and with deliberation, "that we stand seven for acquittal and five for conviction."

"Then you have not agreed at all," said the clerk testily.

"I guess you have agreed to disagree," said the judge, "but you had better try it again."

A poor fellow who was on trial for his life in the same court not long ago got a terrible shock by the sudden change from keenly anxious hope to glad certainty of release, and then back again to black despair, in the course of one minute, brought about by the precise and exact pomposity of the jury which was trying him. They too had taken a long time to consider their verdict and the prisoner, a desperate and hardened villian, who had a poor case and had looked for nothing but the worst, began to think that they might, after all, disagree. The anxiety apparent on his face told how the suspense had racked him when he again faced the jury as they filed into court and took their seats.

In murder cases, as a rule, more formality is used than for ordinary crimes, and so the clerk said: "Gentlemen of the jury, do you find the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment?"

Now, the foreman was a young lawyer himself, and he felt that he ought to show his legal and fine judicial mind. So he paused a moment, evidently repeating the question to himself, and finally said complacently, "Not guilty."

There was a stir of surprise all over the court, and the prisoner almost fainted with joy as he heard the words. But the jurymen began to remonstrate with their foreman, and he condescended to explain.

"I mean, of course," he said, "that we find the prisoner not guilty of murder in the first degree, as charged in the indictment. That was the question asked me. But we do find him guilty of murder in the second degree."

The prisoner burst into tears over the disappointment, though he at one time contemplated a worse result with stolidity, but the legal gentleman had properly upheld the reputation of his profession for exactitude and verbosity.

The recognized locality at present for story tellers to lay the scenes of jury dramas is in the new south, where the "darkies" furnish ample material to draw from. In Florida a jury in the Indian river country not long ago found that "the diseased died by the will of God or some other disease unknown to this jury." Another lusky panel, bound to show that they were not going to shield one of their own color, found a negro prisoner "guilty, with considerable doubt as to whether he is the man."

A man had shot his neighbor's hog and the owner had him prosecuted for malicious injury to property and wanted him fined heavily, but the jury found "the defendant guilty in the sum of $1.50 in favor of the hog."

"We find the man who stole the mule not guilty," is another verdict vouched for on good authority, and a weary judge in despair over the tardiness of his colored jurymen, who delight to spend hours and hours "argufying" among themselves over the most trifling points and often ending them by tossing a penny, is said to have blurted out in his wrath: "If you can't find a verdict of your own, take the one the last jury used." Whether these clear instructions were followed explicitly or not, the records do not show.—New York Tribune.

A Jolly Friar.

While prior of Tallaght, Burke enjoyed the intimate friendship of Cardinal Cullen. "Come up here, Father Tom, and tell some of your funny stories," was the usual invitation after dinner. He would give imitations of some Italian priests who had become popular as preachers in Dublin. His first move was to cast the folds of his robe with demonstrative vigor over the left shoulder, and then in broken English proceed to lecture the faithful. With upraised finger he warned them to avoid "otiosity," to become "tinkers" (thinkers) and to remember that "without face (faith) you cannot be shaved" (saved), concluding each section of his homily, which seemed to be teaching how to avoid the doom of sin, with the words, "You be da-a-a-mned," uttered in low earnest tones. Some of their mistakes were ludicrous. One Italian spoke of Lazarus as reposing in Abraham's womb, and another constantly referred to the whale in Jonah's belly.

For many years no banquet took place at the archiepiscopal residence which Burke was not asked to enliven, his pictures of Italian low life being greatly relished by the cardinal. The quack dentist from Tuscany who with falsetto voice and bray of trumpet drove down the Piazza di San Agnesi at Rome, the man playing the mandolin, the improvisatore, and finally the Roman barber were standing dishes.—Temple Bar.

Inherited Blood Poison.

How many people there are whose distress from sores, aches, pains and eruptive tendencies are due to inherited blood poison. Bad blood passes from parent to child, and it therefore is the duty of husband and wife to keep their blood pure. This is easily accomplished by a timely use of B. B. B (Botanic Blood Balm). Send to Blood Balm Co., Atlanta, for book of most convincing proof.

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J. R. Wilson, Glen Alpine Station, N. C., Feb. 13, 1885, writes: "Bone and blood poison forced me to have my leg amputated, and on the stump there came a large ulcer, which grew worse every day until doctors gave me up to die. I only weighed 120 pounds when I began to take B. B. B., and 12 bottles increased my weight to 180 pounds and made me sound and well. I never knew what good health was before."

LARGEST PEARL IN THE WORLD.

It Is a Beauty and Is Now Awaiting a Buyer at Bapst's, in Paris.

I was today at Bapst's, whilom jeweler to the crown, to see what things there were to tempt millionaires to buy. When one says "Bapst's" one does not mean Bapst's shop.

There is no shop, but a house in a modern quarter affecting the style of the Hotel Cluny. Access is obtained by a hall surrounded with paintings and drawings, natural size, of jeweled ornaments made since 1734 for the crown.

In that year a Bapst who had married the daughter of Strass, the inventor of paste, succeeded the latter to the post of jeweler to the crown—a function that was no sinecure, as the design books which I was allowed to look through show.

"The crown was always changing the forms of its jewelry," said to me M. Germain Bapst, whose history, in folio, of the crown jewels has been just "crowned by the Academy," and is a standard library work—as full of matter as an egg is full of meat, but incapable of being brought into a small compass, because abounding with documents taken from ledgers.

The rooms in which the Bapsts during the century discharged their function are all lighted from the top, and I noticed that the iron frames in which the panes are set are too close together for a burglar to let even an infant down through them.

Whenever a door is opened anywhere an electric bell rings. Before the Revolution sentinels of the Swiss guard kept watch and ward at the original house, which was on the Quai des Orfevres. But it was found that they drew the attention of daring burglars. Hence the substitution of the windowless warerooms lighted from the top.

One sees in these chambers no jewelry about, but before counters old customers quietly examine the treasures drawn from dark recesses to be placed before them. One almost requires a letter of introduction to be admitted to see these treasures as a would be purchaser.

There are many things kept as heirlooms, and they would not be sold on any account. One thing is a unique black diamond, set in India table diamonds.

The black one is of as pure crystallization as those encirling it. Therein lies its peculiarity. Sometimes it is lent for demonstrations to Professor Faye at the Ecole des Mines.

Louis XVIII offered £2,000 for it, wanting it for a mourning ring, but was refused. Higher offers have since been made by wealthier fanciers. But it is, like the Luck of Eden Hall, not to be parted with.

The dream of most of the millionaires' wives is the largest pearl in existence, set with Indian diamonds and mounted as a brooch. It is generally shown with nine smaller pearls, that beat everything of their size and kind in the world in brilliant sheen and freedom from blemish.

Baroness Rothschild often looks at it with longing eyes, but she has not yet made up her mind to buy it, though foremost among the pearl fancying ladies in the world. Like the Sibyls books, the longer it is kept in hand the dearer it is priced, to make up for the interest of money which it devours.—Paris Cor. London Truth.

Fibers Vs. Hair in Mortar.

Various tests have been made with a view to ascertaining the advantage to be derived from the use of manilla fibers as compared with other substances in plastering work. One of the most conclusive of these tests was made with four plates of equal size, one containing manilla hemp, the second sisal hemp, a third jute and a fourth goat's hair of the finest quality, and the operation consisted in suspending weights from the middle of each plate, the ends of which were properly supported. The results showed that the plaster mixed with goat's hair broke at 144½ pounds weight, the jute at 145 pounds, the sisal at 150, and the manilla at 195—in the latter case the hemp not breaking, but cracking, and though cracked in the center, the lower half of this plate, when it was suspended, held on to the upper half, the manilla securing it fast. The three other plates were broken, that is to say, entirely severed. Another test was made of mortar mixed with manilla hemp and the best goat's respectively. The mixtures were stored in barrels in a dry cellar for nine months, and when examined the hair mortar crumbled and broke apart, very little of the hair being visible, showing that it had been consumed by the lime; but the other, containing the hemp, showed great cohesion, it being quite an effort to pull it apart, the hemp fibers permeating the mass and being but little affected by the lime.—Detroit News.

Will We Lose Our Teeth?

It will be a great snap to be a dentist about the year 3,000 A. D. The scientists tell us that as man becomes more human he will lose his beastly adornments. First, the hair, next the eyesight and sense of smell, and, according to Professor Cope, at last become entirely toothless. Cooked food is said to be the cause of the jaw becoming weaker and smaller each generation. There is now no room left for the wisdom teeth, or the upper incisors; the wisdom teeth are retarded, often cause great pain and decay early. The second incisors put out at the sides of the gums, causing "tusks;" especially is this true as regards Americans, they being liable to imperfect development to a degree wholly unknown among savages.

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DATED Jan. 13, '90.	No. 23 Daily.	No. 27. Fast mail. Daily.	No. 41. Daily. ex. Sun.
Lv Weldon.	12 30 p m	5 43 pm	6 00 am
Ar Rock Mt.	1 46 "	.....	7 10 "
Ar Trboro,	*3 45 "	.....	
Lv Trboro,	10 20 "	.....	
Ar Wilson,	2 17 "	7 00 pm	7 43am
Lv Wilson,	*2 30 "	.....	
Ar Selm,	3 40 "	.....	
Ar Fayettevil	6 00 "	.....	
Lv Goldsboro,	3 10 "	7 40 pm	8 33am
Lv Warsaw,	4 10 "	.....	9 34 "
Lv Magnolia,	4 24 "	8 40 "	9 49 "
Ar Wilmingt'n	5 50 "	9 55 "	11 20 "

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

	No. 14. Daily.	No. 78. Daily.	No. 40. Daily ex Sunday.
Lv Wilmingt'n	12 01 am	9 00 am	4 pm
Lv Magnolia,	1 19 "	10 34 "	5 36 "
Lv Warsaw		10 48 "	5 52 "
Ar Goldsboro,	2 18 "	11 45 "	6 53 "
Lv Fet'eville		*3 44 "	
Ar Selma		11 00 "	
Ar Wilson		12 10 "	
Lv Wilson	2 59 "	12 37pm	7 47pm
Ar Rocky Mt.		1 10 "	8 18 "
Ar Tarboro		*3 45 "	
Lv Tarboro		10 20 am	
Ar Weldon	4 30 "	2 45 pm	9 30 "

*Daily except Sunday.

Train on Scotland Neck Branch leaves Halifax for Scotland Neck 2 30 p m; arrives Scotland Neck at 3 44 p. m., Riverton 6 10 p. m. Returning leaves Riverton 7 20 a. m., Scotland Neck at 10 20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., via Albemarle & Raleigh railroad, daily except Sunday, 4 00 p. m., Sunday 3 00 p. m., arrive Williamston, N. C., 6 30 p. m.; 4 20 p. m., Plymouth 8 0 p. m., 5 40 p. m. Returning leaves leaves Plymouth, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a. m., Sunday 8 30 a. m, Williamston 7 25 a. m., 9 50 a. m., arrive Tarboro 9 50 a. m., 11 30 a. m.,

Train on Midland, N. C., branch leaves Goldsboro, daily except Sunday, 6 00 a. m. arrive Smithfield, 7 30 a. m. Returning leaves Smithfield, 8 00 a. m., arrive Goldsboro, 9 30 a. m.,

Train on Nashville branch leaves Rocky Mt, at 3 00 p. m., arrives Nashville 3 40 p. m., Spring Hope 4 15 p. m. Returning leaves Spring Hope 10 00 a. m., Nashville 10 35 a. m., Rocky Mount 11 15 a. m., daily, except Sunday.

Train on Clinton branch leaves Warsaw for clinton, daily, except Sunday, 6 00 p. m., and at 11 10 a m; Returning will leave clinton at 8 20 a m and 3 10 p m, connecting at Warsaw with Nos 41 and 40, 23 and 78

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